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Scott Christensen San Juan County District I Road Supervisor 881 East Center Street P.O. Box 188 Monticello, UT 84535

Subject: Permit Not Required, San Juan County Road Department, La Sal Community Pit, BLM

File Number UTU-72480, San Juan County, Utah

Dear Mr. Christensen:

In response to your request for a determination on the necessity of obtaining a mining permit for the above-referenced existing pit on federal land, located at the NW ¼, Section 33, Township 28.0 South, Range 24.0 East, Salt Lake Base and Meridian, the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining ("Division") has consulted with the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) Moab Field Office. The BLM has classified this location as a community pit and, in accordance with a series of Memoranda of Understanding between the Division and the BLM, does not require a mining permit from the Division.

The Division appreciates your diligence in this matter. If you have any further questions or need any assistance in permitting any other sites of a similar nature for excavation of materials for use in construction, please contact the permit lead for San Juan County, Mike Bradley, at 801-538-5332, or me at 801-538-5261.

Sincerely

Paul Baker

Minerals Program Manager

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cc: David Pals, BLM Moab FO (dpals@blm.gov)

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